

279TH BASE SUPPORT BATTALION

COMMANDER'S POLICY

POLICY NUMBER: 01-34	DATE: AUG 12 2003
SUBJECT: Refuse Handling and Treatment Procedures	
PROPONENT: DPW (469-7598)	DISTRIBUTION: A, B & C

PURPOSE: Establish proper refuse and handling.

SCOPE: Applies to all military and civilian members of the Bamberg German/American Military Community.

REFERENCES: 98th ASG Regulation 200-1, 31 May 1994

POLICY:

1. Segregation of trash and recyclable materials is mandatory, as outlined by CINC USAREUR policy, under the "Separate or Recycle Trash" (SORT) program.

a. The 279th BSB Recycling & SORT Handbook contains all information needed to correctly sort and dispose of trash. Pamphlets are distributed to all government housing residents, and additional copies may be obtained through the DPW NCOIC (469-1560) or the Refuse Advisor (469-7598/8849).

b. Refuse must be segregated and placed inside the appropriate container. Random checks of our recyclable and other trash containers are conducted to ensure compliance with the program. Failure to comply with the SORT program may result in UCMJ and/or other adverse actions.

c. Families residing on the economy will segregate trash in accordance with procedures specified in their local community. Assistance may be obtained from the Housing Office or the Refuse Advisor.

2. Bulk items (i.e. sofas, TVs, pallets, metal scrap, etc) must be transported to the Community Recycling Center located near the MP station in Bldg 7106. (This facility is open 24 hours per day, 7 days per week. It is for use by ID card holders only.) Refuse trucks will not pick-up bulk items.

3. Refuse collection will occur on Friday within government housing and on Monday and Thursday within the remainder of the installation from 0800 until completion.

a. Residents will ensure their refuse lockers are open Friday morning. The contractor will move the trash can from the locker and return it after emptying.

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b. No refuse will be placed in bags on the curbs or within boxes.

c. Violations of this policy will result in written citations from either the Building, Area or Housing Coordinators. Repeat violations could result in loss of housing.

4. "Maximum Support - It Shall Be Done!"

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Dan L. Thomas", is positioned above the printed name.

DANIEL L. THOMAS

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